by authorised to decree accordingly the sum of money which each and every member of said corporation shall pay to the said plain-

tiff or plaintiffs.

12. And, whereas the security to the insured, and the stability of this institution, will greatly depend on the stockholders being persons of sufficient property to make good any losses which may happen; therefore, BE IT ENACTED. That no transfer shall be made No transfers of of the stock or shares of any member of this corporation, but mass approved or such as shall be approved of by a board of the directors for the by directors. time being, who shall vote by ballot for the purpose, after which admission the directors shall cause the transfer to be entered on their books kept for that purpose, and the purchaser shall thenceforth be entitled to all the benefits, and be subject to all the losses, to which the original proprietor would be entitled or subjected.

13. And BE IT ENACTED, That this act shall continue and re-Duration. main in force until the third Monday in March, eighteen hundred and twenty, and to the end of the next session of assembly that may happen thereafter.

CHAP. XLII.

An Act extending the time for taking the Bond of the Sheriff of Passed Jan 12 1805 Anne-Arundel County. Lib. JG. No. 4, fol. 572.

WHEREAS it is provided by an act of the general assembly, Preamble. passed at November session, seventeen hundred and ninety four, * entitled, An act for the amendment of the law in certain cases, that the sheriffs bonds shall be hereafter taken on some day between the eighth of October and the first day in January in each year: And whereas Jasper Edward Tilley, the sheriff of Anne-Arundel county, hath not entered into bond agreeably to the above recited act; therefore,

2. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Time extended for taking bond, the time for taking the bond of the sheriff of Anne-Arundel county be extended to the first day of February next, and that if the said sheriff shall, at any time before or on the first day of February next, give a bond, agreeably to the provisions of the said recited act, the said bond shall have the same effect, to all intents and purposes, as if the said bond had been taken on the thirty-first day of

December, eighteen hundred and four.

CHAP. XLIII.

An Act to lay out and make public several Roads in Queen-Anne's Passed Jan 12 1865 County. Lib. JG. No. 4, fol. 573.

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, by the pe- Preamble. tition of sundry inhabitants of Queen-Anne's county, that they systain great inconveniencies from the want of several public roads in said county; therefore.

2. BE IT ENACTED, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Commissioners ap-Henry Covington, Thomas Scegar, George Palmer, Benjamin roads. Holding and Joseph Sparks, or a majority of them, be and they are hereby appointed commissioners to survey, lay out, open and clear, to wit, one road to lead from Emory's cross roads to a place called the Forge Mill: one other road leading from a place called Blue Ball, as it now runs by said mill, until it intersects the public road leading to the head of Chester at or near the lands belonging